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Re: Kilbride v. Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc., et al.

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Dear Judge McMahon,

Hon. Colleen McMahon United States District Judge

We represent Merrill Lynch Plans in the above referenced matter.

A settlement conference has been rescheduled in this matter from August 12, 2008 to October 2, 2008. Prior to the conference being rescheduled, the Court ordered that the filing deadline for dispositive motions was to be September 5, 2008. Since the settlement conference would therefore be held after the motions were due, we request the dispositive motion filing deadline be extended to November 4, 2008. I have already contacted counsel for all parties and they have agreed to this extension. This is not the first time that an extension for the motion filing deadline has been requested. The last extension request was granted on June 26, 2008 so that the matter could be referred to U.S. Magistrate Judge Ellis for a settlement conference.

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Since the settlement conference was adjourned to October 2, 2008, we request the motion filing deadline be adjourned until after that date.

Respectfully we request this Court to extending the dispositive motion filing deadline from September 5, 2008 to November 4, 2008.

Very truly yours, RUSSO, KEANE & TONER, LLP

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